

Amendments to the Claims

1. (Currently Amended) An outer rotor type motor comprising:
a stator having an outer circumference on which a coil is wound; and
a rotor having a frame and a magnet, the entirety of the magnet being located between the rotor frame and the stator, the magnet having a guide groove located in its topside and provided to leave a predetermined interval from an outside of the stator, the rotor being adapted to rotate when a current is applied to the coil; and,

wherein the a frame having has a fixing means extending inward to fit into the guide groove for fixing the rotor wherein and the fixing means is built in one body of an inner circumference of the frame.

2-4. (Canceled)

5. (Original) The outer rotor type motor as claimed in claim 1, wherein the frame is made of a metal-based material.

6. (Currently Amended) A washing machine comprising:

an outer tub holding water;

an inner tub in the outer tub to hold a laundry; and

an outer rotor type motor comprising:

a stator having an outer circumference on which a coil is wound;

a rotor having a frame and a magnet, the entirety of the magnet being located between the rotor frame and the stator, the magnet having a guide groove located in its topside and provided to leave a predetermined interval from an outside of the stator, the rotor being adapted to rotate when a current is applied to the coil; and, wherein the a frame having has a fixing means extending inward to fit into the guide groove for fixing the rotor wherein and the fixing means is built in one body of an inner circumference of the frame; and

a shaft connecting the motor to the inner tub.

7-9. (Canceled)

10. (Original) The washing machine as claimed in claim 6, wherein the frame is made of a metal-based material.